

FILIPINOS

Exhibit No Little Shrewdness

When It Comes to Selling Arms.

Government Pays Them Thirty Dollars

For Muskets That Would be Dear at Four Dollars.

Washington, April 10.—(Spl.)—Official reports from the Philippines of the surrender of insurgent bodies have a single peculiar feature. It is that in proportion to the number of fighting men who come in and promise to be good, the enumeration of weapons is ridiculously small. It would look on its face as if the Filipinos regarded war as a wholesale boxing match and prepared accordingly.

However, appearances are deceitful. It has been learned at the War department, although not officially, that the Filipinos are doing a thriving business in obsolete firearms. Uncle Sam's representatives pay \$30 to each reconciled insurgent who surrenders a gun along with himself. The Filipino nevertheless is not overlooking the business opportunity. He gives up a weapon of the manufacture of 1860, worth, perhaps, sentiment, included \$4 or \$5; the valuable rifles, however, are retained for future use. The supply of such superannuated muskets unfortunately for the enterprising Filipino, is not equal to the demand. China and the South Seas have been laid under stress to continue the exchange.

SUGGESTED

That Newspapers be Taxed For War Expenses.

London, April 10.—(Spl.)—Henry Labouchere suggests in truth that the budget ought to include in its provision for national expenses, a war tax on newspapers.

He adds: "A heavy war tax would bring home to the press its responsibilities in the matter of wars, and would have a very calming effect on the warriors of the pen."

SENTENCE

Imposed For Attempt to Kill Russian Procurator General.

St. Petersburg, April 10.—(Spl.)—Lagowski, the provincial official who attempted to assassinate K. P. Polonostoff, procurator general of the Holy Synod, on March 22, has been sentenced to six years penal servitude for his crime.

PROTEST

Against Granting Exclusive Rights

Of Turkeyfoot Lake to Mr. Julius Whiting—A Hotel Project.

(Special Correspondence.)
Columbus, April 10.—(Spl.)—Protests against the leasing of the Turkeyfoot lake exclusively to Julius Whiting for summer resort purposes, were received by the State Board of Public works yesterday afternoon from the N. C. Wilson Lumber Co., and the Northern Ohio Traction Company. Mr. Whit-

THE WEATHER:

PARTLY CLOUDY.

We are showing this season some entirely new effects in

Lace Curtains
Rope Portieres
and Draperies

Of all kinds at prices consistent with the quality of goods we carry.

We ask an inspection of this stock feeling sure we can please the most fastidious taste.

BURDETTE L.

Dodge,

124-126 S. Howard St.

WORSE

Than a Prohibition Meeting.

A German Doctor's Accusations

Aroused the Anti-Alcoholic Congress.

Said Wreck of the Steamer Elbe

Was Due to Drunkenness of Officers.

Vienna, April 10.—Dr. Meinert, of Dresden, made a series of sweeping and emphatic statements at the first day's session of the International Anti-Alcoholic conference at Vienna yesterday. His remarks aroused the intense indignation of a large part of the audience.

The Doctor began by declaring that the loss of the German ship Elbe was entirely due to the drunkenness of the officers in charge at the time.

Many persons vigorously protested against these charges, but the speaker continued his accusations. He asserted that it was difficult to combat intemperance when the majority of German doctors were heavy drinkers, having acquired the habit during their college days.

Dr. Meinert further declared that he possessed proofs that more doctors

died from the effects of alcohol than from disease or overwork.

A large section of the meeting vehemently shouted its dissent from Meinert's statements. The speech left the congress divided into two factions. The United States was not represented in the congress.

CUBANS

Had Better Go Slow

If They Would Obtain Their Desired Freedom.

Washington, April 10.—(Spl.)—The decision of the Cuban constitutional convention to send a commission to Washington is not greeted with enthusiasm by officials here.

Administration officials say if the Cubans reject the Platt amendment it will be a long time before they are given the free hand they demand.

PURCHASE

Of Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway Announced—The Purchasers.

New York, April 10.—(Spl.)—Russell Sage announced today that he, Geo. Gould and some others had purchased the Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway to form a part of the Missouri-Pacific system and give an eastern outlet via the Wabash into Pittsburg. He gave out no details.

REORGANIZATION

Of J. C. McNeil Boiler Company Is Proposed.

A number of meetings have been held recently in this city by parties interested in the J. C. McNeil Boiler Co. It is proposed to reorganize the corporation which has been in the hands of a receiver for some time. It is now on a paying basis and the receivership will be lifted.

INJUNCTION

May be Brought by Democrats and Populists

To Prevent Judge Anderson From Executing a Political Bargain—Will Have Meeting Next Week.

The announcement that Messrs. James A. Wilson and James A. Houser have been slated for the appointment as City Commissioners to succeed Messrs. Crisp and Paige, respectively, brought surprise to none of the citizens of Akron except the more or less numerous class who may have considered themselves under promise to receive the appointments.

The majority of the Republican citizens of Akron had taken it for granted that they would have nothing to say about the appointment of the new Commissioners.

And their Democratic neighbors, having knowledge of the bargain that had been driven prior to the late election, knew that the success of Judge Anderson at the polls meant the appointment of Messrs. Wilson and Houser.

A local Democrat informed the Democrat today that a protest will be made against the appointment of Mr. Houser upon the ground that he is not a Democrat, and is therefore not eligible to hold the appointment.

"I have talked with a great many representative members of my party," said the Democrat's informant, "and we have decided to have a meeting of local Democrats on Thursday night of next week to discuss ways and means of preventing Judge Anderson from forcing the appointment of Mr. Houser upon the party. In this undertaking we have the endorsement of a number of Populists, who are opposed to the bargain made by their leaders to deliver the Populist vote to Judge Anderson in exchange for a

promise that they would be given a pull at the public crib.

"The law expressly states that none but Democrats and Republicans shall be eligible to receive an appointment to the Board of City Commissioners. There is not a Democrat in Akron who would object to a Populist receiving an appointment if he had been true to his principles and fought shoulder to shoulder with his Democratic neighbors, but Democrats and sincere Populists alike are justified in opposing an attempt to confer an appointment as a reward for a bargain to betray the Democratic cause.

"If it is necessary to have an injunction suit to prevent the appointment being made, I feel assured that the conference on Thursday night of next week will advocate bringing a suit."

When asked why the conference was not held this week, the Democrat's informant replied:

"There is no need of haste. Judge Anderson and Mayor-Elect Doyle are to have their first meeting next Monday in regard to the appointment of City Commissioners. Of course they will not agree, and the matter will drag along for a week or more for the purpose of making the candidates other than Wilson and Houser believe they have a show, and to make the people believe that there is nothing out and dried about the matter. But in the end the appointments will go just where it was bargained that they should go before election, for the purpose of enlisting the support of the liquor interests and the help of some Populists who were willing to forget principle if given a share of the spoils."

PRESIDENT

Of United Mine Workers

Said to Have Resigned His Position

To Engage In Life Insurance Work.

Will Receive Salary of \$5,000, and Commissions, Too.

Cincinnati, O., April 10.—(Spl.)—A special dispatch to the Enquirer from Hazelton, Pa., says:

"John Mitchell will soon resign his position as president of the United Mine Workers of America and accept a place on the executive staff of a great Pennsylvania Life Insurance Co., with headquarters in Philadelphia."

The foregoing statement was made here today by the man, who on Oct. 19, last year, announced the settlement of the great strike of anthracite coal miners, which actually took place on Oct. 25, following. The early information concerning the settlement of the strike came directly from John Mitchell; the information anticipating his early retirement from the presidency of the mine workers' organization doubtless comes from the same source.

It is understood here that Mitchell has been offered \$5,000 a year and certain commissions to take charge of the agency force of an insurance company, with headquarters in Philadelphia, the officers of which regard him as the greatest organizer in America.

LAST BARRIER

To Progress of Canton-Akron Line Removed.

Franchise Has Been Granted by Canton Council.

A franchise has been granted to the Canton-Akron Electric Co. by the Canton Council, and construction of the line will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

Mr. L. E. Myers, of Chicago, who has the contract to build and equip the line, expects to begin work next week. The Canton franchise has been practically the only thing delaying the progress of the company lately, and now that it has been removed, the last barrier is brushed aside.

PLANT

Will Begin Operations the First of June.

The plant of the Cuyahoga Falls Iron & Steel Co. will begin operations on June 1. The company is already receiving many inquiries regarding the line of product to be manufactured.

CRUTCHES

Being Used by Sheriff Kelly's Youngest Son.

The youngest son of Sheriff Kelly is suffering from an injured knee cap. Two weeks ago while he was playing around the house he slipped and fell striking his knee. At the time nothing was thought of the injury. It has since become very painful. He is compelled to use crutches and physicians have announced that an operation will be necessary.

Has Not Removed.

Mr. Lester Akins informed a reporter for the Democrat today that he had not removed to Canton. He purchased the outfit formerly in the Hurford House shop in that city but it will be removed to Akron.

Another Shipment of Pianos . . .

Received today from the Great Factories of

D. H. Baldwin & Co.

One of the OLDEST and most RELIABLE concerns in the country. Call and see them they are beauties.

C. H. Martin,

Hamilton Building,
205
S. Howard St.

HIS PART.

Newton Chisnell Has Finished It.

The End Came After Much Suffering.

Played With Booth and Other Great Stars.

Dropsy and Heart Trouble Caused His Death.

Mr. Newton Chisnell died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Lucinda A. Chisnell, 107 Brown ave., Wednesday morning of dropsy and heart trouble. He had been seriously ill since last September when he gave up all work and returned to this city. He was 41 years old.

Mr. Chisnell had won a wide reputation as an actor. He was born in Green township, Summit county, but when he was still a child his parents removed to Akron. At an early age he showed ability as an actor and was always the leader in the back yard shows he and his companions arranged. Later he took part in many amateur theatrical productions.

Mr. Chisnell was one of the first shorthand writers in Akron, and gave up his position as stenographer for Hon. Geo. W. Crouse, at the age of 25, to join the late Henry E. Abbey's theatrical company of which Edwin Booth was the star. He was with that company one season. Afterward he played in London with Mary Anderson and in America with Madame Aml and other lights of the stage world.

He was one of the first actors in the Hoyt plays and for three years prior to his retirement had the part of Brassy Gaul in "A Texas Steer."

Mr. Chisnell was married to Miss Susie Parker, an actress of note, in Brooklyn, in 1888. His wife has been with him throughout his illness. They have no children.

Funeral services will be held from the house Friday afternoon. The hour has not been determined. Burial will be private.

TESTED

Akron's New Aerial Truck—Worked All Right.

A successful test was made Tuesday afternoon of the new aerial truck. It was taken from the new No. 5 engine house and the ladders were worked in front of the building. These were elevated to a height of 75 feet and Captain Rice and Firemen Denious, Nighswander and Olson were sent to the top. The ladders were then lowered and Fireman Nighswander was sent to the top alone. While he was standing on the top round the ladder was raised and lowered and

VEIL

Will be Taken by Two Akron Girls.

Rev. T. F. Mahar left Wednesday morning for Ebensburg, Pa., where the school of the order of St. Joseph's is located. He was accompanied by 17 children who will attend the school. Misses Annetta Mahar and Mary Delaney will take the veil at that place Thursday.

Apprentices wanted in M. O'Neil & Co.'s Millinery Department.

ALL SMOKE

False Alarm Sent In Tuesday Evening.

The chemical engine was called to the store of Greenwood Bros., corner of Howard and Market sts., Tuesday evening. A room on the second floor was being fumigated and a tenant turned in a false alarm.

Fire at Hospital For Insane.

Indianapolis, April 10.—(Spl.)—Fire broke out in the Central hospital for insane early this morning, in the violent female patients' ward. Patients were rescued and behaved admirably. Flames were subdued by the hospital fire department. The loss is small.

Triumphant Entry.

Toulon, April 10.—(Spl.)—President Loubet of France has made a triumphal entry into Italy. There was a great naval demonstration and wild enthusiasm on the part of the people when he landed.

COMES FROM BRAIN.

Phosphates Found on the Skin and Thrown Out From Pores.

We know that active brain work throws out the phosphate of potash, for this product is found on the skin, after excessive brain work, therefore, brain workers, in order to keep well, must have proper food containing phosphate of potash to quickly and surely rebuild the used-up tissue. That one can obtain such food has been proven in thousands of cases among users of Grape-Nuts Food.

This contains phosphate of potash in minute particles, just as it is furnished by nature in the grains.

This product makes from albumen the gray matter that builds the brain and fills the nerve centers.

In no way can this gray matter be made except by the action of phosphate of potash upon albumen, and this mineral should be introduced to the body just as it comes from Nature's laboratory, and not from the drug store. The system is more or less fastidious about taking up the needed elements, and, as might be suspected, it will favor the products of Mother Nature rather than the products of the drug shop, however valuable the last may be for certain uses.

Lawyers, journalists, doctors, ministers, business men and others, who earn their living by the use of the brain, are using Grape-Nuts Food. It is manufactured for a reason and was originated by an expert. The regenerative value of the Food has been demonstrated beyond question.